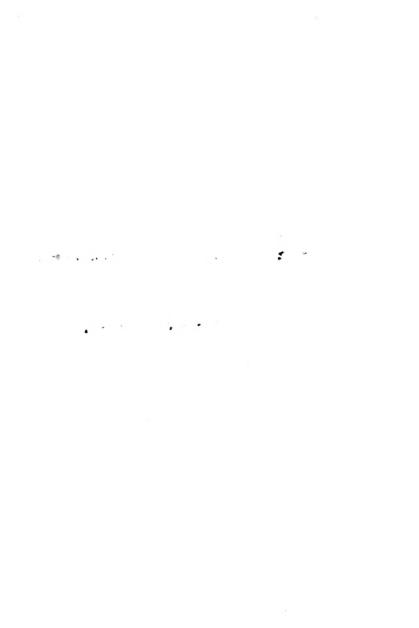




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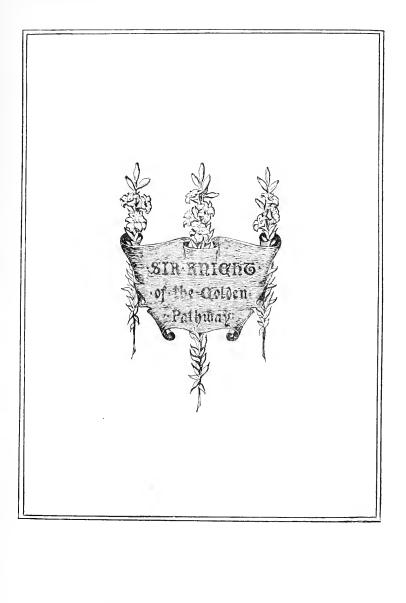
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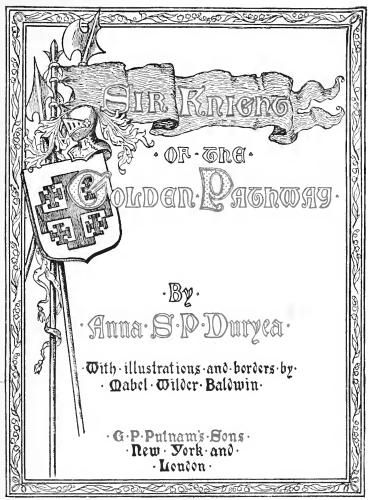


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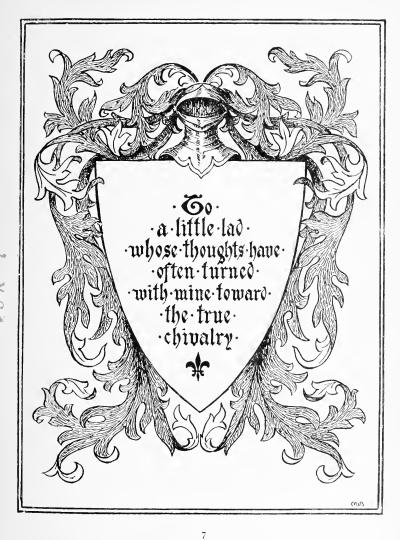
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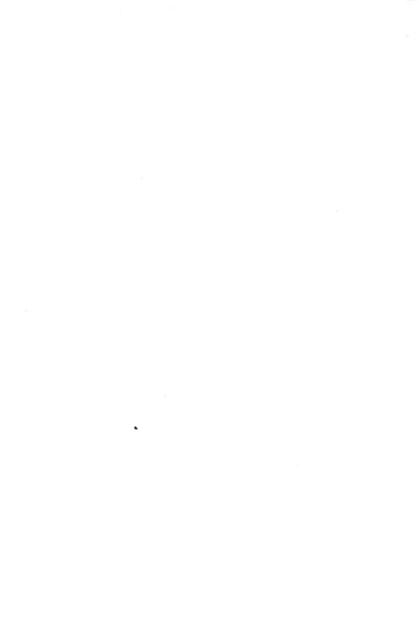
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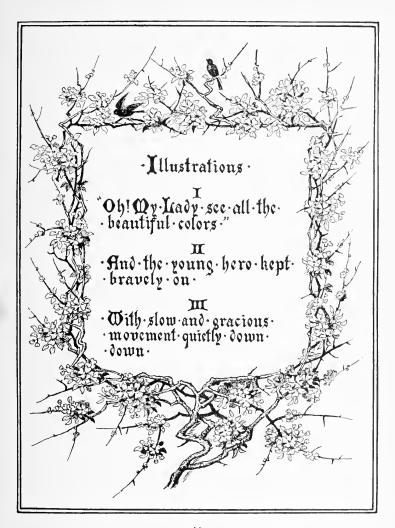
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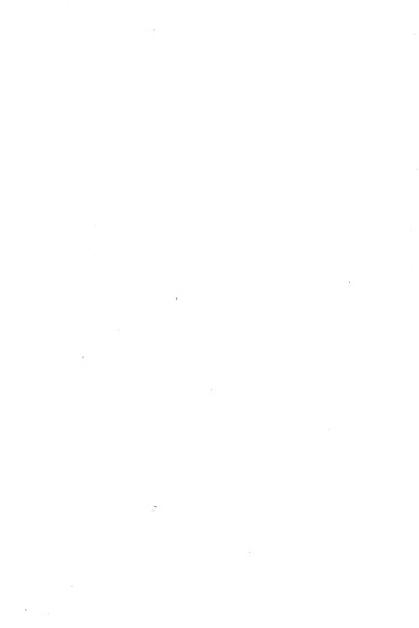


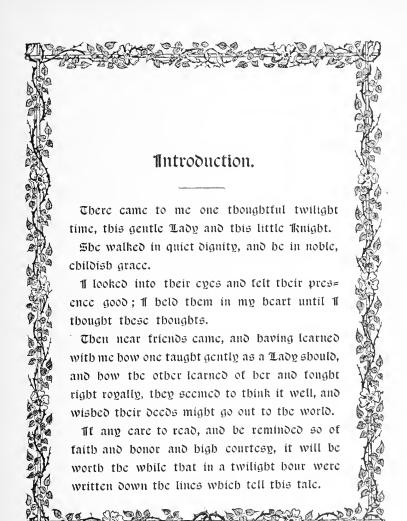




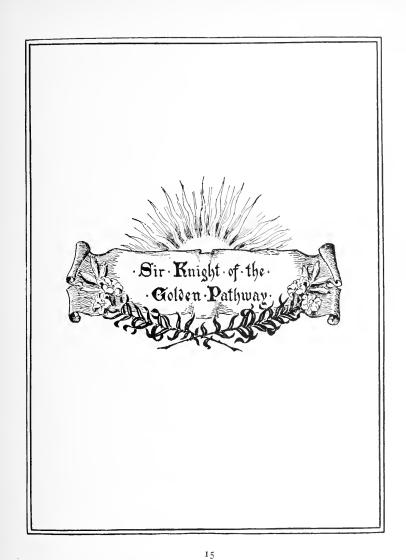




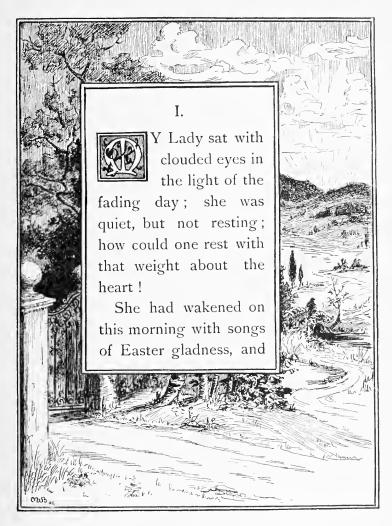


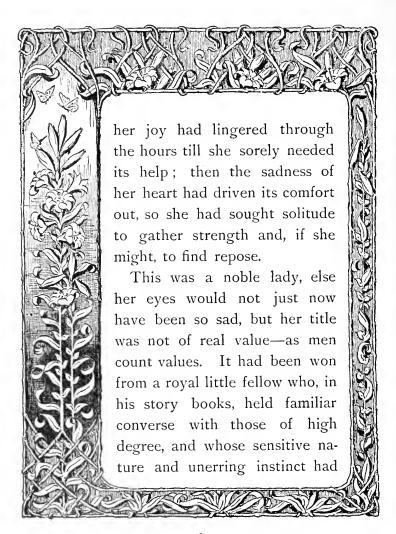


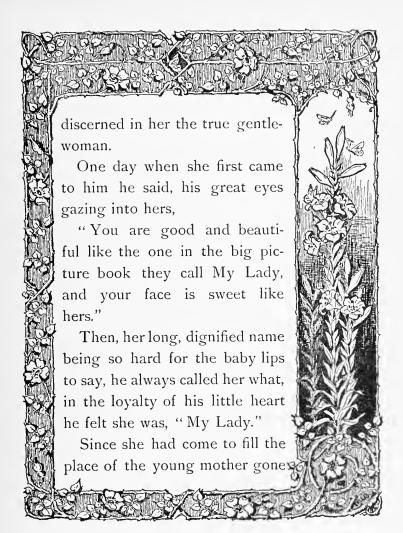


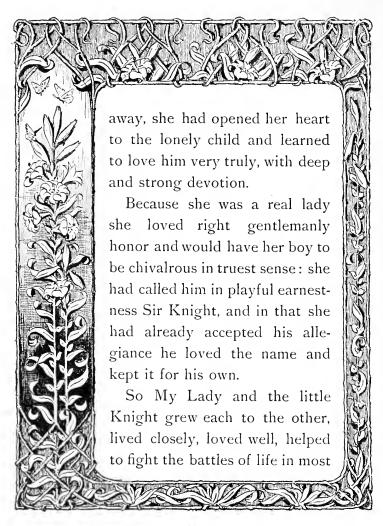


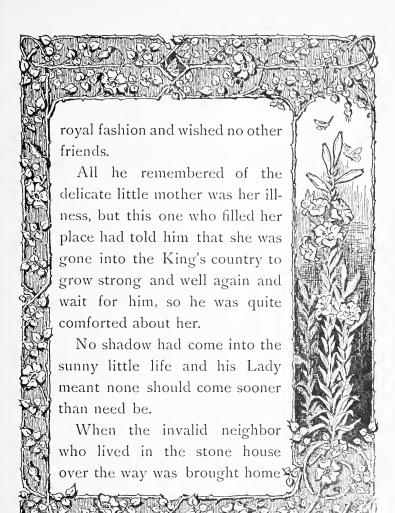


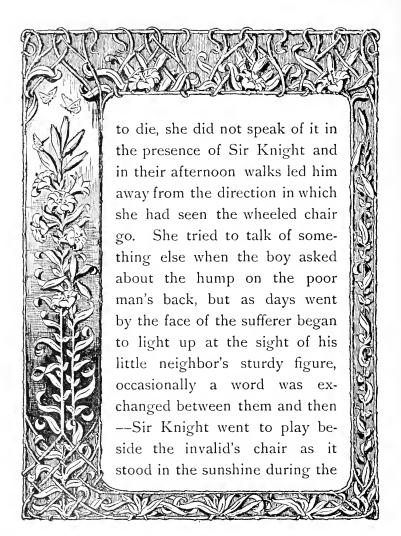


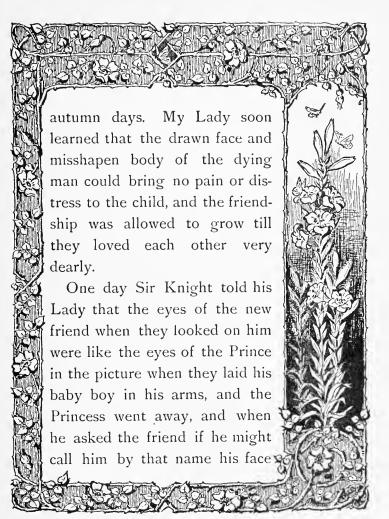


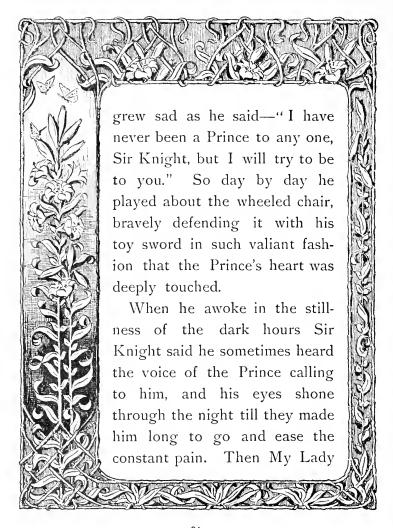


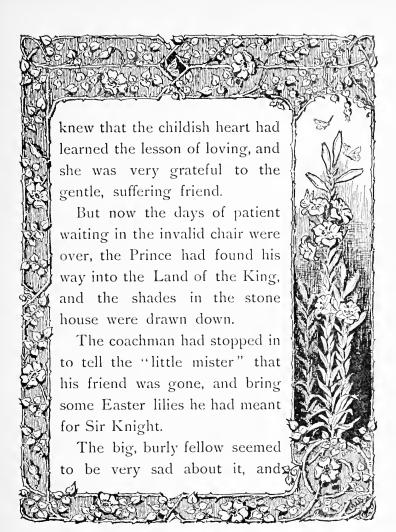


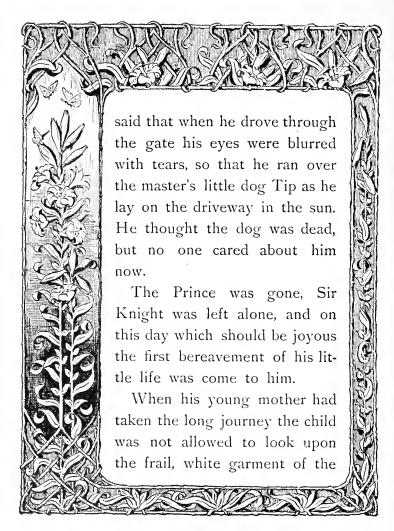


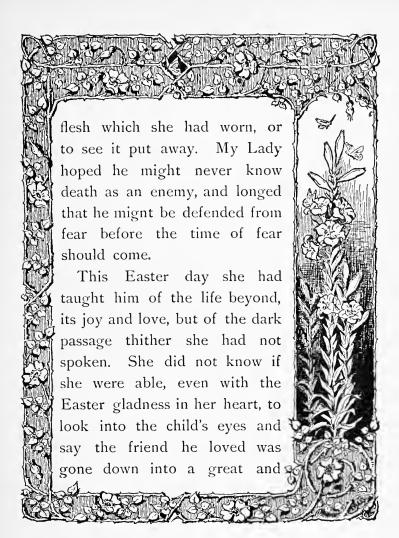


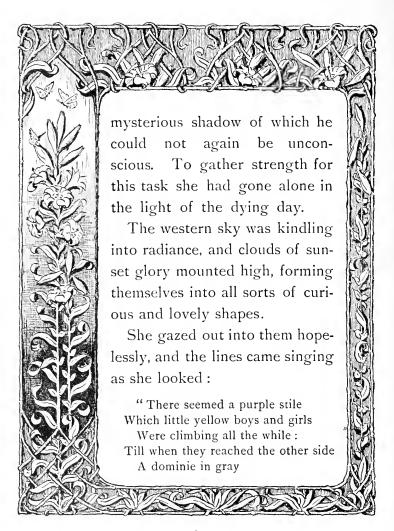


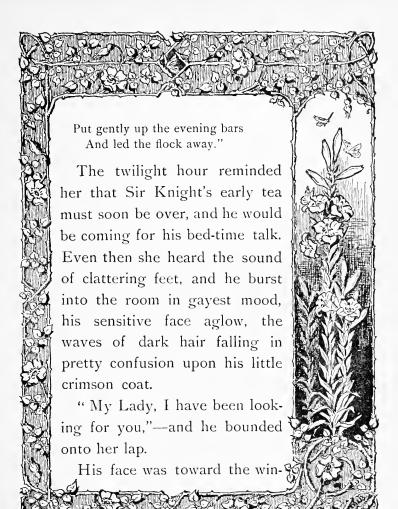


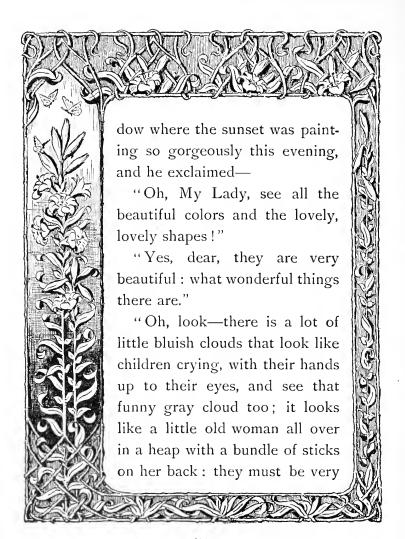


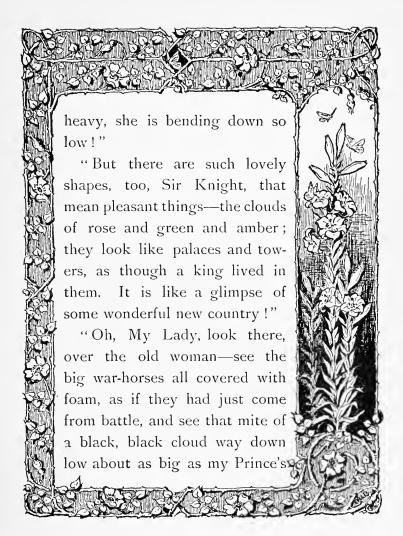


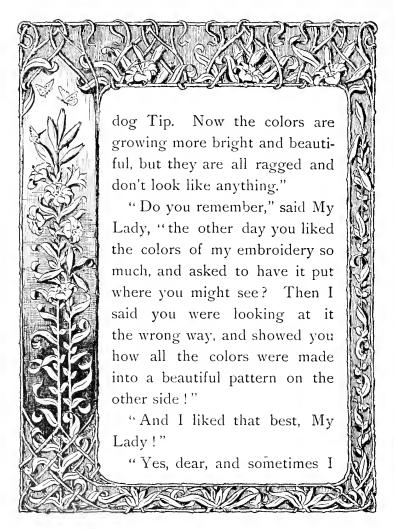


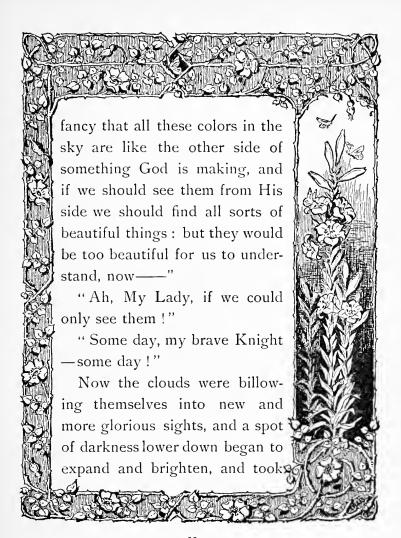


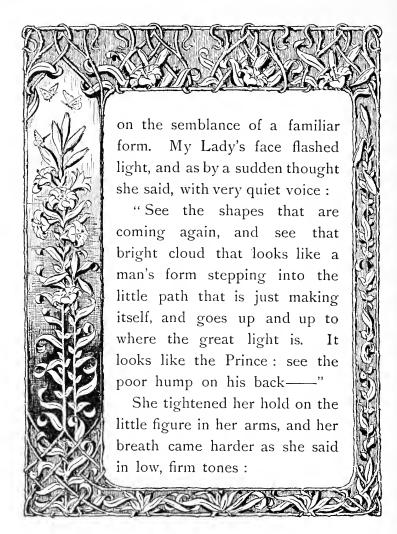


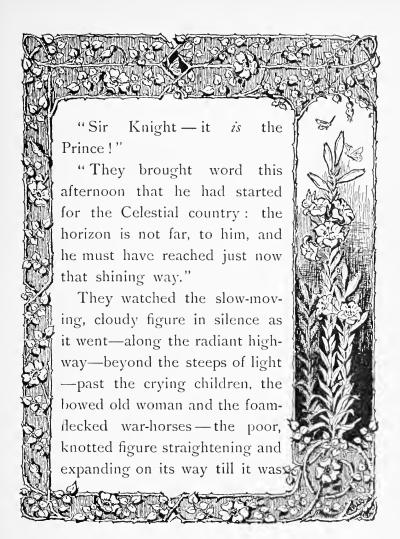


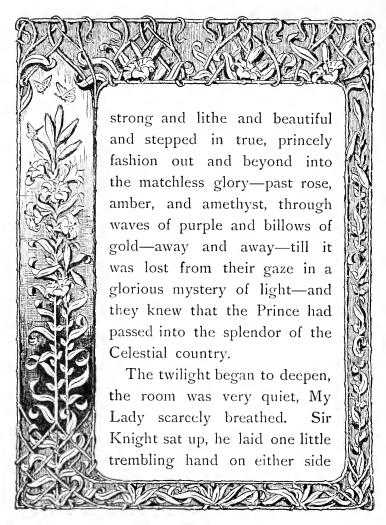


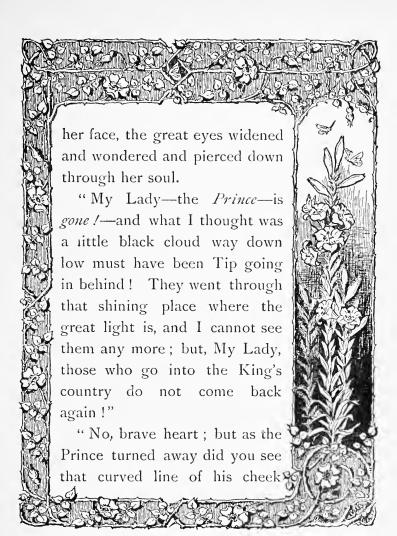


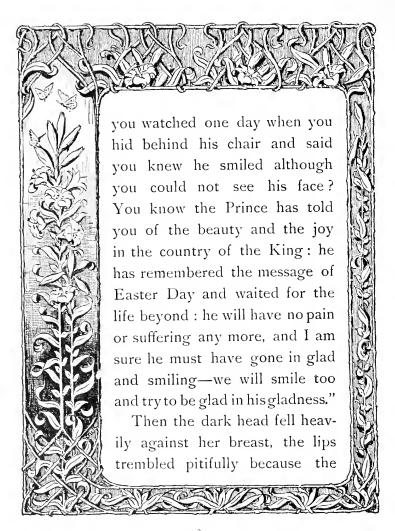


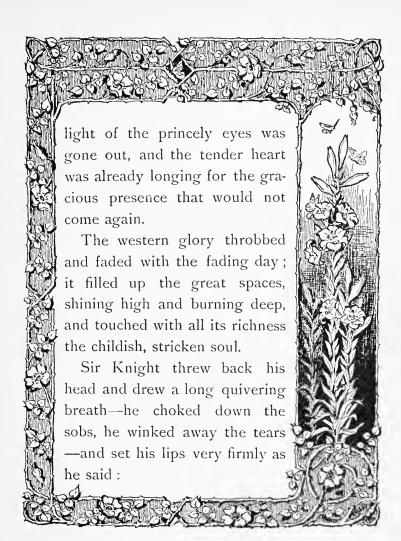


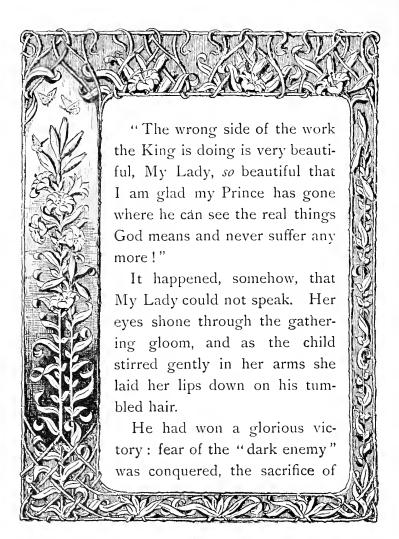


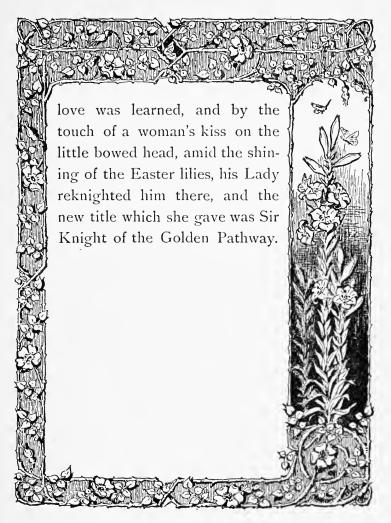












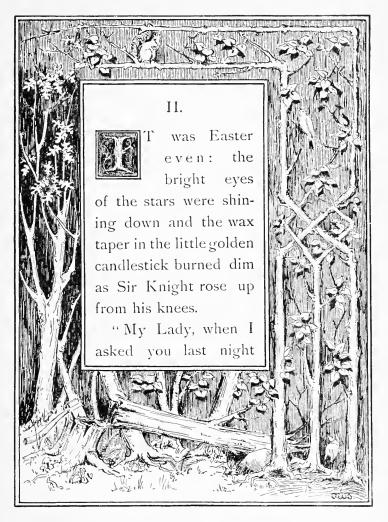


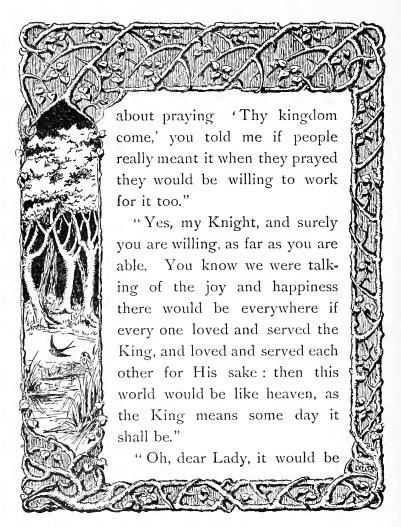


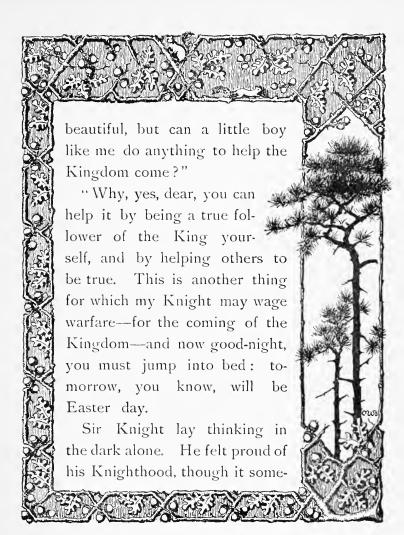




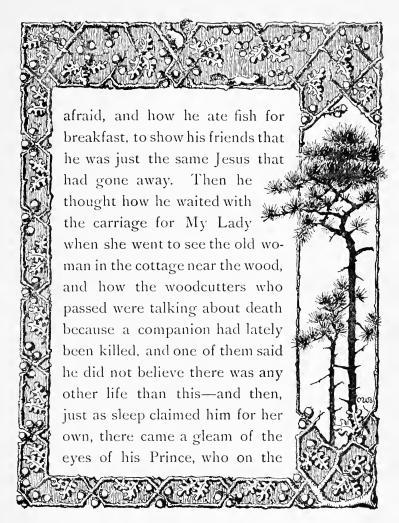


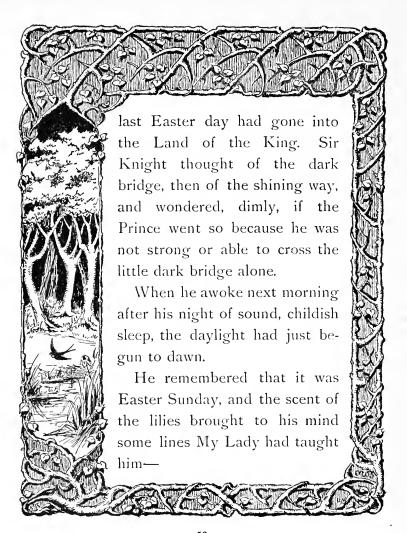


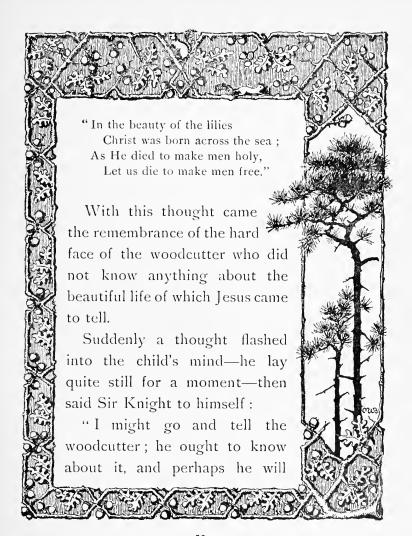


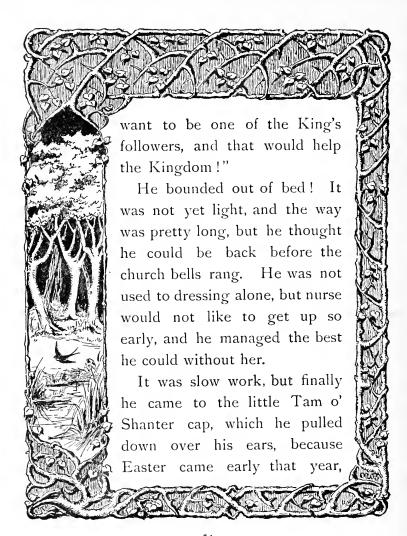


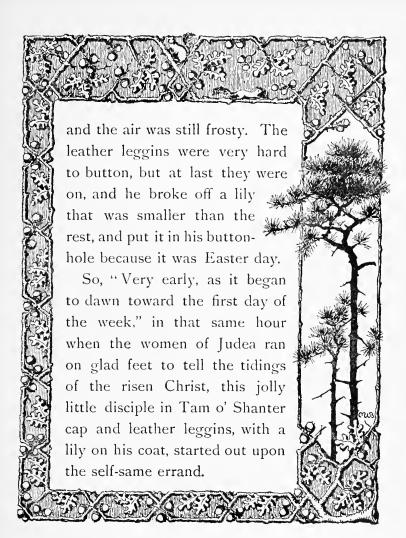
times gave him difficult things to do, but he thought that this was a good deal to ask of a little boy. Then the soft breath from the window My Lady had opened brought to him sweet odors from the pot of lilies that stood beside his bed. His eyes were heavy, but he began to think in drowsy fashion of what the lilies meant. and what My Lady said about death being like a little dark bridge that people had to cross to get out into the King's Country; of how Jesus had gone there, and then come back on Easter day to help us not to be

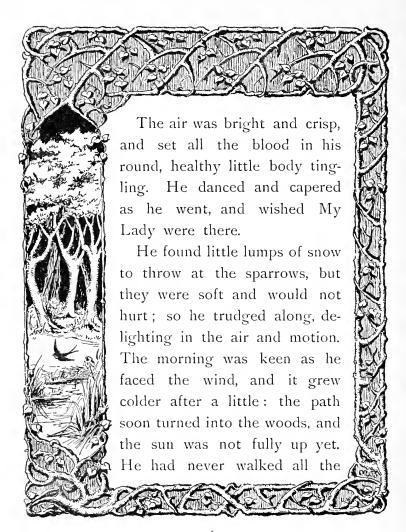


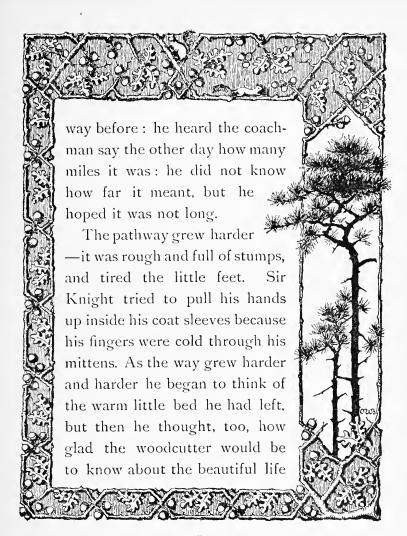




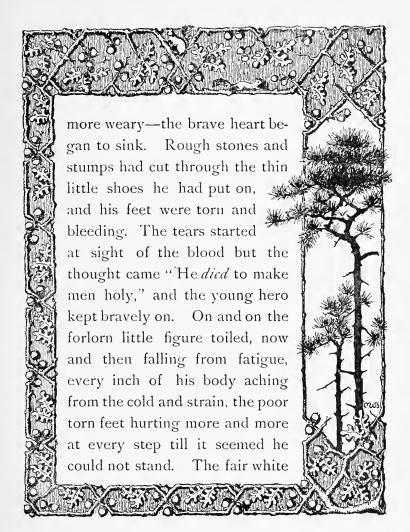


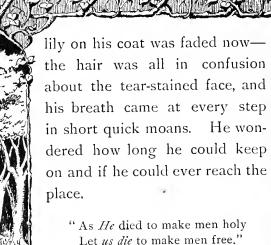






into which his Prince had gone, and that it was for him as well. He sat down on one of the stumps to rest a moment, but he was colder when he stopped, so he went on. He tried to sing about the lilies, but it made his breath come harder because the way was rough. His toes ached and his legs were tired, and he wished the woodcutter would not live so far. Then thought the man was strong and able to fight, and would make a good soldier of the King. His steps grew slower because the way seemed longer and





Let us die to make men free."

This was a brave Knight of the Kingdom; he thought he would be willing to die for its sake if need be, but he hoped it would not take very long. At last, coming to a sudden turn,

